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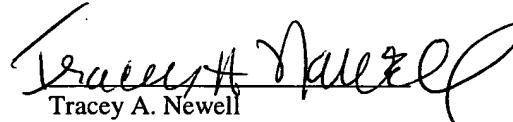
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ATTACHING A FIRST COMPONENT TO
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Sir:

This is a request to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application for three months from March 28, 2005 to June 28, 2005. Enclosed is a check for \$510.00 to cover the extension fee.

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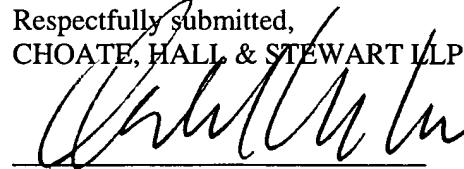
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